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**STATUS INQUIRY RE RECONSTRUCTION AND  
ISSUANCE**Docket Number (Optional)  
**050321-1850**First Named Inventor: **Molnar, et al.**Group Art Unit: **2684**Application No.: **09/823,681**Examiner: **Philip Sobutka**Filed: **03/30/2001**Confirmation No.: **6109**Title: **Low Voltage Digital Interface**Commissioner for Patents  
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1. More than \_\_\_\_\_ months have passed since

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the filing of this application on \_\_\_\_\_.

No communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

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the filing of a response on \_\_\_\_\_.

No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark office.

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☐ **APPEALED APPLICATION**

The Appeal Brief was filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING 37 CFR 1.8(a)**

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Date

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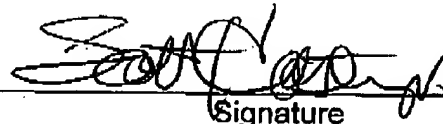
- ☐ An Examiner's Answer was mailed on
- ☐ A Reply to the Examiner's Answer was submitted on

☒ **ALLOWED APPLICATIONS:**

This application has been marked "LOST" since February 2006. Applicant has tried repeatedly to help reconstruct the file so that the allowed application will issue as a patent. Applicant filed a Request for Reconstruction on July 11, 2006 (submitting the entire file history), and the PTO has still not indicated on the PTO website that the PTO has received this Request (see attached Transaction History from the PTO website). Applicant has repeatedly called Erlene Green of Art Unit 2600 (571-272-2993) and left messages each time for her to call since the time of the filing of the Request for Reconstruction with no response from her on the status.

2. Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

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## Transaction History

Date	Transaction Description
03-21-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
02-22-2006	File Marked Lost
02-22-2006	Reconstruction Completed
02-22-2006	Mail Reconstruction Notice - Pending Application
02-22-2006	Reconstruction Notice under 37 CFR 1.251 - Pending Application
09-29-2005	Reconstruction of File - Begin
05-31-2005	File Marked Lost
02-23-2005	Receipt into Pubs
01-07-2005	Workflow - File Sent to Contractor
01-07-2005	Receipt into Pubs
01-09-2004	Issue Fee Payment Received
11-20-2003	Dispatch to Publications
11-20-2003	Dispatch to Publications
11-18-2003	Mail Notice of Allowance
11-17-2003	Notice of Allowance Data Verification Completed
11-17-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
09-17-2003	Date Forwarded to Examiner
09-08-2003	Response after Non-Final Action
07-09-2003	Mail Examiner Interview Summary (PTOL - 413)
06-30-2003	Examiner Interview Summary Record (PTOL - 413)
06-18-2003	Mail Non-Final Rejection
06-16-2003	Non-Final Rejection
04-08-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-01-2003	Date Forwarded to Examiner
04-01-2003	Date Forwarded to Examiner
03-24-2003	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
04-01-2003	DISPOSAL FOR A RCE/CPA/129 (express abandonment if CPA)
02-20-2003	Mail Advisory Action (PTOL - 303)
02-20-2003	Advisory Action (PTOL-303)
01-25-2003	Date Forwarded to Examiner
01-22-2003	Amendment after Final Rejection
01-08-2003	Mail Examiner Interview Summary (PTOL - 413)
12-19-2002	Examiner Interview Summary Record (PTOL - 413)
11-18-2002	Mail Final Rejection (PTOL - 326)
11-18-2002	Final Rejection
09-11-2002	Date Forwarded to Examiner
09-03-2002	Response after Non-Final Action
06-27-2002	Mail Non-Final Rejection
06-26-2002	Non-Final Rejection
07-13-2001	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
07-09-2001	Application Dispatched from OIPE
05-09-2001	Application Is Now Complete

05-09-2001 Notice Mailed--Application Incomplete--Filing Date Assigned  
05-08-2001 Correspondence Address Change  
04-14-2001 IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review  
03-30-2001 Initial Exam Team nn

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